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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

SETTE et al.

Application No.: 09/709,774

Filed: November 8, 2000

For: ALTERATION OF IMMUNE
RESPONSE USING PAN DR-BINDING
PEPTIDES

Customer No.: 20350

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 7, 2004, please enter the following amendments and remarks. A Notice of Appeal accompanies this Amendment.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.